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Docket No. 31477-5

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Johan Stjernschantz et al : Paper No.:  
Serial No.: 09/445,919 : Group Art Unit: 1614  
Filed: March 16, 2000 : Examiner: Z. Fay  
For: **Prostaglandin Derivatives Devoid of Side-Effects for the Treatment of Glaucoma**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal the Examiner's final rejection of claims 4, 5, 7-11 and 18-21 set forth in the Official Action dated August 14, 2003.

The government appeal fee was previously paid with the Notice of Appeal by certificate of mailing on September 6, 2001. Any deficiency or overpayment in the appeal fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 04-1133.

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